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In re Patent Application of:

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For: USE OF SECRETIN-RECEPTOR LIGANDS IN TREATMENT OF CYSTIC FIBROSIS (CF) AND CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE (COPD)

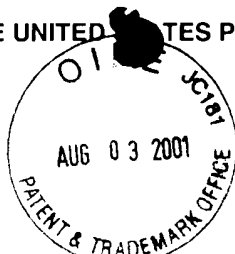
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☒ Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on the following foreign applications:

**Application Number**

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☒ Certified copy(ies) of foreign application(s) is/are attached.

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